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[DISPATCHES TO THE OREGONIAN.]

DATES TO DECEMBER 28.

Violation of Passenger Laws

NEW YORK Dec 22.—Idicle have been filed in the District Court against the steamships *Servia*, *Hibernia*, *Iberia*, *City of Washington*, *City of Baltimore*, Ashrocks and *Britannia* of the European line, for alleged violation of the passenger act in the improper construction of berths.

Fatal Accident in Vermont

NEW YORK Dec 23.—A bank caved in Shaftsbury Vermont, on Thursday falling forty feet and burying a number of men. Three dead bodies have been recovered.

Seizure of Distilleries

PHILADELPHIA, Dec 22.—Four large distilleries were seized yesterday on the charge of false returns.

Fire

TOLEDO Dec 22.—The Michigan Southern Railroad elevator with 80 000 bushels of wheat was burned last night. Loss $300 000.

Distress Among the Freedmen—Order of Gen Ord

Murder of a Negro Family.

MEMPHIS Dec 22.—Gen Ord despatches an officer of the Freedmen's Bureau to Washington to represent to the Government the starving condition of freedmen in a large number of counties and the absolute necessity of some provision by the Government to feed armed freedmen and give work to women in such places as are without food. Ord also instructed commandants of posts to report all ballling colored men to give general notice that all freedmen who are able will be required to earn their own living during the coming year. They must go to work on the best terms that can be secured. Freedmen refusing to work for a livelihood, when employment can be procured, must be punished as vagrants. Sheriffs and police officers are requested to co-operate in the enforcement of this order.

MEMPHIS Dec 22.—A dispatch says the Freedmen's Bureau officers who were trying to swindle the negroes of Alabama have been tarred and feathered. An entire negro family was recently murdered in Baldwin county.

Miscellaneous

WASHINGTON Dec 20.—From information obtained from the State Department it appears that Minister Hale has been for some time in negotiation with the Spanish Government for the purchase of Cuba, with a fair prospect of success.

BUFFALO, Dec 20.—The funeral services over the unrecognized victims of the recent railroad disaster, will be held on Sunday. A number of additional bodies have been recognized.

NEW YORK Dec 21.—The *Herald's* special Havana correspondent says that by the earthquake at Arcas upwards of $100 000 worth of property was destroyed.

NEW YORK Dec 20.—Advices from Melbourne are to November 1st. A gold nugget weighing 500 ounces was found at Southcott. The miners are flocking to the new diggings near Talbough.

West Indies.

A Havana special says the Dominican authorities have sent an envoy to Washington, probably in relation to the sale or lease of Samana.

It is reported that the capital of Hayti has been moved to Cayes.

The finances of Jamaica are much dis[illegible]. The deficiency is £50 000, to be made up by additional duties.

Lozando the new Captain General of Cuba has arrived and was received with the most cordial demonstrations of welcome.

From South America.

NEW YORK, Dec. 21.—Advices from Paraguay are to the 12th. Prado has gained a victory at Arecaya. The city was completely surrounded by Prado, who demanded the surrender of the city in three days, if refused, he would take it by storm. A number of [illegible] had left the city in the vicinity of Lockford, was [illegible] on the 4th day last.

The Lima *Peace* of Bolivia, says the gale was the most severe we ever witnessed, and for a time [illegible] the entire portion of Balsas and [illegible] were blown down and left a complete mass of ruins, involving a loss of over $1,200. On the same afternoon the gale was at its height, the Inland Hotel at the Port of [illegible] was swept away. Dr. [illegible] the valley, was unroofed, and there is a report that the barn of D. J. Clayton was blown down killing four [illegible].

SACRAMENTO 20.—The American river fell quite rapidly yesterday, having risen [illegible] feet. It is now [illegible] feet by dark last night. The [illegible] in the Sacramento is also lower. [illegible] at 11 o'clock last night [illegible] twenty two feet five inches [illegible] marks. We have [illegible] from Cachuma, that Steward [illegible] Yolo side, about a mile above the bridge, [illegible] the property except the clothing on his [illegible] by the flood of Thursday.

Vessel Ashore

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 20.—Advices from Point [illegible] Dec. 7th, say that the [illegible] of the Upper [illegible] surveying party, was struck [illegible] the northeast of Fremont, by Apaches, but without fatal results.

Gen. Gregg has been appointed to the command of the District of [illegible].

Gov McCormick and staff had gone to the new Capital, Tucson.

Markets.

FLOUR—Slightly more active in consequence of an anticipated increase of shipments to New York.

WHEAT In better demand; sales of 7 000 [illegible] sacks to good shipping at $2 25@2 75.

Outlaws and Disparadoes in Eastern Kentucky and some of their Depredations.

A gentleman who has been traveling among the people of Eastern Kentucky has given to the New Albany *Commercial* a very graphic account of what he saw, from which he takes the following:

As a sample of the lawlessness of the inhabitants of that region, he mentioned the circumstance of an affair which occurred only a few weeks ago in the neighborhood of Crab Orchard. Aleaus by the name of Bridgewater became illustrious to some desperate characters. A party of them collected together, rode into the town of Stanford, surrounded his house and found their victim playing a game of checkers. He was at once shot down, each one discharging his pistol at the body, so that all might equally share in the guilt. The perpetrators of the deed were taken up, tried in a neighboring town and cleared, as a matter of course.

The matter was, however, taken in hand by General Thomas, and a body of troops sent out to effect their arrest. Most of them escaped to the mountains, but some remained and deposited upon their shrewdness to elude the military. A fellow by the name of Collier, one of the illegible, was traced to his house early one morning by the Sergeant and his squad of men, the house was thoroughly searched, all but the garret, and Collier was nowhere to be found.

All length they ascended to the garret, where he really was concealed—while the soldiers were getting up, the woman hauled him down a trap door into the room below and tucked him snugly away under a feather bed occupied by his old mother and his children.

After the squad left he quietly came out, and mounting his horse, rode on to town, getting into the place a few minutes after the soldiers had left. Our informant met with him on the road, a few minutes after the occurrence, and he conversed freely about the affair, appearing to feel no concern whatever. He said they had killed Bridgewater because he had threatened to kill some of them. Life in their estimation, has not the worth of a feather.

A few miles from Crab Orchard, in one of the mountains a brother of Bridgewater, "Big Bridge," as he is called, has fortified a place and openly defies the authorities. Several attempts have been made to capture his arrest but without success. He has about a dozen followers who stand packet and resist any attempt to dislodge them. They sally out into the surrounding country, committing depredations of all kinds, stealing hogs horses and chickens, or robbing upon the highway. It is said the Governor is raising a company of State troops to hunt them out of their dens.

RETURNS FOR THE YEAR.—A recent issue of the New York *Advocate* gives the statistics of the M. E. Church for the year just closing:

There are sixty eight annual conferences, an increase of four over the previous year.

There are seven thousand nine hundred and eighty nine traveling preachers—an increase of four hundred and thirteen during the year.

The membership of the entire Church, including six ministers, foots up one million one hundred and fifty thousand seven hundred and fifty two. The net increase during the year is one hundred and twelve thousand, five hundred and seventy nine.

The membership in the Southern States is near one hundred thousand, about three-fourths of whom are white and one fourth colored. Most of the preachers in those conferences are Southern men.

The total valuation of church edifices and parsonages exceed forty one million dollars, being an increase of over six million during the year.

The centenary collections, when footed up, will exceed seven million dollars.

Benevolent contributions except the missionary collections, have been in advance of former years.

Georgetown, Ky., celebrated the late elections, and compelled all the girls who participated to wear rebel colors. The national flag was torn down from the college and found in the street with an insulting inscription.

NORTH CAROLINA.—Under date of November 22d Ex Governor Holden of North Carolina wrote of the result of the recent election of delegates to the Constitutional Convention in that State as follows:

We have heard nothing from the [illegible] West, but I am sure we have swept [illegible]. It so happens, fortunately, that we got the [illegible] through the strength of the [illegible] votes; and the West through the vote, for the [illegible] part, of the whites, who have always [illegible] and are now republicans. The [illegible] cast in the middle part of the State, [illegible] Governors Graham and Vice resides. The [illegible] has completed the destruction of the rebel [illegible]. If we are only true to our [illegible] and hold the helm with an iron hand. The majority for the convention cannot be less than 50,000. Our friends went for it en masse, and the [illegible] were divided, some voting for and [illegible] it. The undercurrent among the [illegible] was strongly for a convention, though in many [illegible] their prejudices were played upon, and [illegible] were induced to vote for candidates opposed to a convention. It might be well for Pennsylvania and Ohio to vote again.

Army Supplies.

SUBSISTENCE STORES.
Fort Vancouver, W. T., Dec. 20, 1867.
SEALED PROPOSALS IN DUPLICATE WILL BE received at this office by the undersigned until 12 o'clock M. Saturday, January 11th, 1868, for delivery, on ship board at Portland, Oregon, the following stores, viz:
250 barrels Superfine Flour,
250 barrels Corn Meal,
150,000 pounds BACON.
To be newly cured meats of the Territory curing.
The Pork to be Mess or Prime Mess, the barrels to be full wood hoop, and to have three hoops at each chine.
The Bacon to be clear, averaging not over three fourths of a pound each piece.
Bidders to state fully the kind of Flour, date of prep aration, place and [illegible] for delivery, what sort wood, and [illegible] to be [illegible].
Bids will be received [illegible] June 2, 1868, unless required; [illegible] to final inspection on delivery. [illegible] in figures and writing for the [illegible] coin at the time of [illegible] in the United States for [illegible] PAYMENT TO BE MADE [illegible] in sums not smaller than $20,000 [illegible] two months in the sum of fifty per cent. on the contract.
Bidders to give their [illegible] and [illegible] in full, and to be [illegible] sealed envelope, at their option, to be [illegible] for Forage and Salt Meats." A copy of the [illegible] will be furnished to be [illegible] bids.
The right is reserved to reject any or all bids.
The envelopes containing bids to be [illegible] Capt. 2d Inf. [illegible] U. S. A.
Dec. 27, 1867.

NEW LIGHT! NEW LAMPS!
NEW FLUID!
BEST LIGHT IN THE WORLD!
No Many Ads
FIRST—IT IS POWERFUL. Five times as much as Coal Oil.
SECOND—It gives a soft, beautiful light.
THIRD—It is CHEAPER than any other light.
Lucine Burning Fluid
For Sale by the Trade Generally.
Manufactured by the LUCINE LAMP AND OIL CO.
STAIN or [illegible]
LUCINE LAMPS, [illegible]
BUNNELL, BRO.
161 and 163 Second Street,
PORTLAND, Oregon.
Have now in Store a Full Assortment of
STOVES, TINWARE, LAMPS, [illegible]
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CHAS. HOPKINS,
(Successor to [illegible])
Hardware & Cutlery,
IRON AND [illegible]
TOOLS, [illegible]
REAPERS, MOWERS, THRESHERS
AND AGRICULTURAL IMPLEMENTS
No. 116 Corner Front and [illegible] Sts.,
oct PORTLAND, Oregon.
H. B. OATMAN,
(Successor to F. W. [illegible])
Dealer in Fruit and Confectionery
Corner of First and Ankeny Streets,
PORTLAND, OREGON,
Has on hand a Large Stock of
FRESH FAMILY GROCERIES AND
PROVISIONS!
Of EVERY DESCRIPTION USUALLY KEPT AT A FIRST-CLASS
GROCERY And PROVISION STORE.
He assures all his patrons and friends, as well as the public generally, that he will continue to keep constantly on hand an extensive assortment of the best goods of the kind, for sale at the LOWEST CASH PRICE.
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SEEDS!
FRESH SUPPLIES OF
GARDEN, FLOWER, FRUIT & FARM
SEEDS!
Received by Every Steamer. Also,
CRASS & CLOVER SEEDS,
Of Suitable Varieties for this Climate, growing in all
THE LARGEST COLLECTION OF [illegible]
to be found on this Coast.
Orders by mail or express, or [illegible] with [illegible] to their turn. Address,
GEO. T. GILMAN,
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COSMOPOLITAN BILLIARD ROOMS
Alder street, between Front and First.
TWO NEW and VERY PERFECT FRENCH CAROM TABLES with the Improved Pockets just set up at the COSMOPOLITAN.
These Tables are incomparably superior to any now in use.
Rooms apart from the Saloon.
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POWDER AND SHOT,
For sale by H. W. CORBETT & CO.
HAYING AND HARVESTING TOOLS,
For sale by H. W. CORBETT & CO.

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The Daily Oregonian.

MONDAY MORNING, DEC. 30, 1867.

Vindication of the Tenure of Office Law.

The testimony given before the House Judiciary Committee by E. A. Rollins, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, make important revelations which show up in no enviable light the operations of Mr. Johnson in making removals from office for political reasons, and appointing to the vacated positions partisans of his own choosing, who, owing to their want of character and principle, could be bought with Executive patronage. The Commissioner testified that,—

The removals in the Internal Revenue Department were not beneficial to the service; that few of the incumbents were removed for incapacity or dishonesty; that he had no doubt *that these removals caused a loss to the revenue of many millions of dollars*; these changes continually encouraged distillers and rectifiers to combine for purposes of fraud; the President was in the habit of making the appointments without consulting him, and without looking at the records of the [illegible]. Two were mean in the service whom he had [illegible] to be removed as many as six times. In most of these cases the officers had been [illegible]ged, a loss had ensued. In 240 collection districts 180 A[illegible]s had been removed. In [illegible] were made, the best [illegible].

Besides this statement of facts by the head of the Internal Revenue Department, in what light does Johnson's tirade against the Tenure of Office Law appear? He says in his message that that law has been the cause of increasing corruption and [illegible]ration in the Revenue Department; that it [illegible] official accountability and protection [illegible]ty. Now every one knows that the law does not protect dishonest officials; it makes it the duty of the Executive to [illegible] or remove [illegible] to protect and reward in the public service a class of worthy and capable officers whom the President was removing for political reasons. The statements of Commissioner Rollins fully justify the [illegible] of Congress in the matter, and throw the [illegible] dishonest practices upon the Executive, where they belong. The frauds which are [illegible] on the Treasury are committed by those [illegible] whom Johnson bought with appointments, and after having dismissed capable and honest men to make room for these [illegible]. The country now has the history to observe the systematic and shameful [illegible] which have been going on [illegible] since the action of Congress. The Commissioner has no doubt that the frauds which [illegible] have caused a loss to the Government; that few were removed for fraud, and that, as a rule, the best men were the ones who were [illegible] that those who could not [illegible] but who had bought the President to [illegible]. In other words, the only [illegible] required in an [illegible] to his "galley;" and the only [illegible] for removing a capable [illegible] was a knowledge that such offense had too much [illegible] with Andrew Johnson and his pardoning [illegible] of defrauding office. The [illegible] Rollins are a complete [illegible] of the Tenure of Office Law, and [illegible] of Andrew Johnson.

Under Democratic Rule.

The telegraphic dispatches published to-day give an illustration of the beauties of Democratic rule in San Francisco. It is evident that that city is preparing for another Vigilance Committee. The Democratic triumph has brought back the crowd of desperadoes, "plug-uglies," "dead rabbits" and "blood tubs" who were banished from the city a few years ago; and in all probability the time will soon come when good citizens will be compelled to again combine to deliver the city from their rule. The amount of business before the Courts and the number of criminals deserving of to the penitentiary or the gallows in a city which for years has been as free from crime as any considerable city in America, affords an instructive commentary on Democratic rule, and reveals the consequences which follow the accession of the Democratic party to power. These desperadoes, guided by past experience, evidently suppose that under Democratic rule crime will again go unpunished in San Francisco. No doubt their instinct is right. No doubt they have a true idea of "Democracy." Let no one imagine that it is impossible for [illegible] to be again enacted in San Francisco like those which were witnessed there when the city was under Democratic administration, a dozen years ago. The material is there; more is gathering, and the fermentation is already begun. All the vicious elements of the population are attracted to the Democratic party, and as they hold the voting power, it will not take them long to corrupt the fountains of justice and bring affairs into the condition they had reached when the uprising of the better class of people twelve years ago, delivered the city from "Democratic" domination. It is worth while to notice how signally it is proved in the case of San Francisco that an immediate consequence of the obtainment of power by the Democratic party is an unprecedented increase of crime.

After all the abuse heaped upon Mr. Lincoln and Secretary Stanton for the arrest and incarceration of Gen. Charles P. Stone on account of the Ball's Bluff disaster, where Senator Baker lost his life, it turns out from revelations in Lossing's history, just published, that the arrest was brought about General McClellan. At first McClellan thought him to be without blame; but afterwards he received information from a refugee, which, in his mind, "tended to corroborate some of the charges made against General Stone," and orders were issued for his arrest. If General Stone be an innocent man, as both President Lincoln and General Scott believed, the blame of his arrest therefore belongs to no one but McClellan.

The New York *Tribune* prints nearly two double columns of [illegible]s on the registry list of that city who cannot be found at the places where they pretended to live. This is only a part of the list, its extreme length preventing its full publication. This is known as "the great Democratic [illegible]."

The proprietors of the *Pacific Tribune*, published at Olympia, have started a daily. It promises to continue as long as the enterprise meets expenses, but says that it can't promise more. The paper makes a very fair appearance.

STATE ITEMS.

Ninety-one marriage licenses have been issued in Marion county, the present year.

S. M. Driver while [illegible] at work in the woods, seven miles from Gable [illegible], county, some days ago, had one of his [illegible] in three places by a tree falling on him.

Daniel Brown, [illegible] from Dayton, Dec. 23d, that he recently [illegible] a slaughtered hog raised by Mrs. G. Ulrich of [illegible] county, which weighed, dressed, 533 pounds. The hams weighed 80 pounds each and the sides, each, 100 pounds.

The Salem Statesman [illegible] paper in that it resolves to print the [illegible]'s message after most other papers have done with that document. It says: "We reserve the [illegible] of the message next week, and it platform two columns." Perseverance will tell.

The Jacksonville Republic says a huge bear was killed last week in the Butte creek hills, weighing upwards of [illegible] pounds. This [illegible] has been the plague of the [illegible] in that vicinity for several years, preying upon hogs and [illegible], of which it has destroyed a great number. Many shots had been fired at the capture the beast, but until the "last shot," he had established pursuit.

Olympia Correspondence.

EDITOR OREGONIAN: Since the adjournment of the Legislature nothing has occurred to ruffle the [illegible] of things at the capital. The most of the Hons. are [illegible] in the dominions of Her Majesty Victoria. The few that are left daily congregate at the office of Secretary Smith, where questions of politics, science, history, philology, and all other possible questions are most learnedly discussed and settled authoritatively. If it could only be known abroad all questions of public moment are adjusted, and all that is necessary is for the world and Uncle Sam to understand it.

Christmas has furnished some amusement for the little folks, and last night the Odd Fellows gave a ball at the Olympia Hall, said to be a brilliant affair. To-morrow night the Masonic lodge of Port Gamble give a ball in celebration of St. John's Day. The [illegible] is chartered by the lodge with their usual liberality, to convey all who desire to go free of charge. It is expected this will be the [illegible] ball for the season makers on the Sound.

Continued particulars of the devastations of the flood continues to arrive. The loss is very great with this portion of the Territory, and it will take years for it to recover from the blow. We have received no paper mail for more than two weeks from the Columbia, which fact seems to take us back ten or fifteen years. We are fairly famishing for news.

CHIEL.

UNPARDONED REBELS.—The following list of rebels not having received absolution by means of the great pardon machine run by A. Johnson, is taken from his organ, the *National Intelligencer*. It should be added that a considerable number whose names grace this list of criminals, have been pardoned since the list was prepared:

Jeff. Davis, Alex. Stephens, Robt. Toombs, R. M. T. Hunter, J. P. Benjamin, Jas. L. Seddon, John C. Breckinridge, Thos. Bragg, John Slidell, M. Mason, N. Dudley Mann, L. O. C. Lamar, J. T. Pritchett, Wm. Preston, Emile Lasere, George Eustis, Jas. E. McFarland, Henry Hotze, Charles J. Helm, Walker Fearne, Ed. DeLeon, B. Avegno, Jacob Thompson, C. C. Clay, E. G. Lee, Beverly Tucker, M. F. Maury, Bellock, Ferguson, House, etc. The above were all civil agents or officials. Generals Robt. E. Lee, Joseph E. Johnson, G. T. Beauregard, Samuel Cooper, Braxton Bragg, W. J. Hardee, John B. Hood, John C. Pemberton, E. Kirby Smith, Theo. Holmes, J. B. Magruder, Geo. F. Pritchett, J. Early, Sterling Price, Eugene McLaws, Lowell Cobb, Mansfield Lovell, Hugh G. W. Smith, T. C. Hindman, Dick. Taylor, Wade Hampton, N. B. Forrest, Frank Cheatham, S. B. Buckner, Heid, John B. Gordon, Wm. Mahone, Etsy and fifteen or twenty others. Also Admiral Semmes and Buchanan, Governors Wm. Smith, I. G. Harris, Clarke, Moore, M. L. Bonham, Magrath, F. W. Pickens, Alston. Also Thos. Bocock, Wm. A. Graham, R. W. Barnwell, Jas. Chestnut, Henry A. Wise, Ed. Sparrow, R. W. Johnson, A. G. Brown, A. O. P. Nicholson, John Perkins, Humphrey Marshall, Roger A. Pryor, H. V. Johnson, Crawford, Chas. L. Scott, D. L. Yulee, etc.

GOLD AND GREENBACKS.—The Pall Mall *Gazette* of October the 25th publishes the following letter from Mr. David A. Wells, U. S. Commissioner of Revenue, who is now in England. It was addressed to an English holder of five-twenty bonds:

"SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of your note of Sept. 4, which has been forwarded to me from London. As regards the question you put to me whether the principal as well as the interest of the five-twenty bonds will be paid in gold, I would say that I have no doubt whatever that all such payments will be made in gold. If the law does not beyond a doubt express this fact, you must remember that there is no such expression in the British Consols or in the French Rentes, and it would be absurd to suppose that a great nation like the United States is going to conduct itself in regard to the principal and interest of the debt other than in accordance with the [illegible] laws of commerce and morality. I am, sir, yours most respectfully,

"DAVID A. WELLS,
"U. S. Commissioner of Revenue."

RECREATION AND AMUSEMENT.—It is necessary that mortals should have some amusement, and since our city is not blessed with an elegant theatre, or some place of innocent amusement, it is the duty of every man to see that his acquaintances coming to our city should at least be pleased, and how can you please them better than by taking them to KOHN & ISRAEL'S, No. 91 Front street, to buy one of those handsome suits they keep for sale.

Bushnell's Photograph Gallery is the only establishment in Oregon that is thoroughly prepared to do *all* the *different styles* of work in the art. Photographs from card to life size. *The new cabinet cards, &c.*, &c. Small pictures enlarged (retouched in India ink—painted in water colors or oil by Mrs. S. J. Ramsey. Pictures that are fading can be reproduced in this way. All negatives taken in this gallery will be carefully preserved, and additional copies had. I have now on hand a very large collection of negatives, the names of which are recorded alphabetically in a book for that purpose that can be seen in the reception room.

SPERMATORRHŒA.

DR. DOHERTY has just published an important pamphlet, embodying his own views and experiences in relation to Impotence or Virility; being a Short Treatise on Spermatorrhœa or Seminal Weakness, Nervous and Physical Debility consequent on this affection, and other Diseases of the Sexual Organs.

This little Work contains information of the utmost value to all, whether married or single, and will be sent free by mail on receipt of Six Cents in postage stamps for return postage. Address

W. K. DOHERTY, M. D.,
San Francisco, Cal.

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MARRIED:

At Astoria, Dec. 23d, at the residence of Mr. C. Stark, by S. T. McKean, Jr., J. P., Mr. George Hill, to Miss Martha E. Brock, all of Astoria.

DIED:

In this city, Dec. 29th, 1867, Lorenz Kaiser, a native of Switzerland, aged 23 years, 11 months and 10 days.

The funeral will take place from the residence of J. A. Fisher, No. 208 Second street, opp. the Congregational Church, on Tuesday at 10 o'clock.

NEW TO-DAY.

SLEIGH BELLS AND SKATES!

A GOOD ASSORTMENT, FOR SALE BY

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COMPLIMENTARY BENEFIT

Tendered by the Citizens of Portland to

JOS. DELAVAN AND CHAS. TAYLOR.

PORTLAND, OREGON, Dec. 28, 1867.

MESSRS. J. DELAVAN AND CHAS. TAYLOR—*Gentlemen*:—Having learned, with regret of your intention to withdraw from professional life, and subject pursuits more congenial to your wishes, we cannot in this connection let the present opportunity pass of according to you a public testimonial of the estimation in which you are held by those who will always remember with pleasure the sparkling wit, the ready repartee, the fund of innocent enjoyment with which you were wont to while away our idle hours.

To convince you of our sincere regards, and as an earnest of our wishes for your future welfare, we tender you a complimentary benefit to take place when and where you please, and pledge ourselves to make it, if possible, a source of gratification to you.

We remain, gentlemen, your obt'd serv'ts,

JAMES W. WATER,	ROBERT MOORE,
S. J. McCORMICK,	JACOB GRESSEY,
A. G. WALLING,	J. W. FUNK,
C. A. STEWART,	M. CARNEY,
F. G. CROSBY,	A. B. BRANNON,
W. S. DURRENBERY,	WM. H. HARRISON,
JOS. L. KIDDER,	HALL S. WILLIAMS,
F. W. SKINNER,	N. J. ROBERTSON,
VAN B. DOLLENMUTT,	J. R. GARRISON,
	And 100 others.

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SIXTH INDUSTRIAL EXHIBITION

UNDER THE AUSPICES OF THE

MECHANICS' INSTITUTE,

SAN FRANCISCO.

THE UNDERSIGNED, ACTING UNDER AUTHORITY from the Mechanics' Institute of the City of San Francisco, take great pleasure in announcing to the public that they have received upon hand an Industrial Exhibition in the month of August, 1868, on a much larger scale than was ever attempted on this coast; and they make this early announcement of their intention that all who may desire to participate shall have ample time for preparation.

A pamphlet, embodying rules and regulations for the government of participants, with a list of Premiums to be awarded, etc., is receiving such earnest and careful attention as the importance of the enterprise demands, and in due season the same will be made public by circular letters widely distributed, and by advertisements in the leading journals of this coast.

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178 and 176 J Street, Sacramento.
Main Street, Austin, Nevada.

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Administrator's Sale of Real Estate.

In the matter of the estate of John T. McDan, deceased. John McCraken, administrator.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, THAT IN PURSUance of an order of the County Court, for Multnomah county, in the State of Oregon, Hon. P. A. Marquam, Judge, made on the 7th day of November, A. D. 1867, I will sell at public vendue, at the Court House door, to the highest bidder, on Thursday, the 16th day of January, A. D. 1868, the following described real estate, situate in the City of Portland, in the County of Multnomah, in the State of Oregon, to-wit:

The south half of Lot three (3) in Block number seventy-three (73); the north half of Lot four (4) in Block number seventy-three (73); Lots one (1), two (2), three (3), six (6), seven (7), and eight (8) in Block number two hundred (200); the undivided one-half (1/2) of the easterly quarter of Lots five (5) and (6) in Block thirty-nine (39); Lots one (1) and two (2) in Block twenty-four (24).

A. M. RICHARDSON, Auctioneer.

Terms of Sale:—Payments to be made in gold coin of the United States, one-third cash down, one-third in three months and one-third in six months. Deferred payments to be secured by note and mortgage. Deeds at the expense of the purchaser.

Dated at Portland, this 17th day of December, 1867.

JOHN McCRAKEN,
Adm'r Est. John T. McDan, dec'd.

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NEW GOODS!

PER STEAMER MONTANA.

WATERPROOF OVERCOATS—Gents' and Boys' winter Gloves, Gents' Beaver Pants, Boys' Beaver Suits, Sack Coat, Vest and Pants; Boys' Beaver Suits, Jacket and Pants; Gents' Grey Harrison Cassimere Suits, Boys' Grey Cassimere Suits, Jacket and Pants; Children's Grey Cassimere Overcoats; Gents' Woollen Suits, Boys' Beaver "Garrick" Overcoat, Boys' Undershirts and Drawers, etc.

RUBBER CLOTHING—Afghans Knit Fins, Velvet Ribbons, Bugle Gimps, Trimming Braids, Heavy Canton Flannel, Delaines, Shawls, Hoops, etc., just received and for sale by

JOHN WILSON,
Opposite the What Cheer House.

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Special Meeting of the Common Council.

THERE WILL BE A SPECIAL MEETING OF THE COMMON COUNCIL

ON TUESDAY EVENING NEXT,

For the purpose of closing up all business for the year 1867.

J. A. CHAPMAN, Mayor.

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For Rent.

THE SPACIOUS HALL OVER THE "FRANKLIN BOOK STORE. Size 24x55. Rent, $25 per month. Apply to

B. J. McCORMICK.

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PROPERTY OWNERS IN SCHOOL DISTRICT NO. 1, Multnomah County, Oregon, can save costs by calling at my office and paying their taxes before January 10th, 1868.

L. M. PARRISH,
School Clerk.

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CITY PROPERTY—IMPROVED and UNIMPROVED.

GIBBS & PARISH.

Office corner Front and Alder sts., up stairs.

Portland, Dec. 27, 1867. dlm

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A. SAMPSON, CARPENTER AND JOBBER, has removed from No. 11 Yamhill Street, to No. 87 BLOCK ABOVE, and is prepared to execute all work on short notice. dec24d1p1m

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OAK, ASH AND HICKORY PLANK,

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SPOKES,
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AXLES,
POLES,
BENT RIMS,

Shafts, Bows, Singletrees,
Plow Beams and Handles,
&c. &c. &c.

Orders for the above, also for BOXES, THIMBLES, SKEINS, IRON and STEEL, promptly filled.

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The Cheapest Prices!

AND THAT ALL MAY OBSERVE

The Christmas and New Years'

HOLIDAYS!

I hereby this issue my Annual

PROCLAMATION!!!

Two cents, my dear people, among you once more,
Keeping up the good custom established of yore
I bid you all a [illegible]. I wish you good [illegible]
A right merry Christmas and *Happy New Year!*
You will find me this year, as you have heretofore,
At *McCormick's*, on *Front street* the *Pearl* the *Book Store*
Where I've opened my *Budget*—'twas filled to the brim
With every nice Toy that could talk, walk or swim.
I've *Musical Work Boxes*—and *Guitars* for the fair
And *Gifts* for the Gents that are both rich and rare,
Whilst my *Budget* includes the nicest new *Toys*
Intended as *Gifts* to good Girls and Boys!
I've the *Ark* in which Grandfather Noah was kept
When all other creatures from the world were swept,
(For men in those days would in evil persist,
So the world was washed by an *Oregon mist!*)
I've *Babies of Rubber*, of wax and of leather,
(They were all made to order), and well put together;
I've *Vases* and *Cups* nicely gilded outside,
And little *Cock Horses* for Bobbies to ride;
I've *Cannon* and *Pistols* which cannot explode,
For the reason they hold neither wadding or lead.
I've steamboats that run—you just wind them in front
And they'll beat the *Cascade* or the *Wilson G. Hunt.*
I've a new *Locomotive*—it can never explode,
'Twas built for the use of *Gaston's* Railroad,
I've *Engines* that play—Set them down on the floor
And they'll throw greater streams than old "2" or new "4."
I've *Furniture, Pickles*, and *French Fusileers*,
Soldiers that look like B. B. Pioneers,
I've *Swords* made of tin—*Guns* and *Pistols* as well,
And the new kind of *Drum* that rings like a bell.
I've *Masks* of all sizes—I've *Grace Hoops, galore*,
And you'll find at McCORMICK'S a thousand Toysmore,
On FRONT STREET the Store is—105,
Where TOYS are as plenty as bees in a hive;
Go there and buy them—this is my request,
His Prices are Low and his Stock is the Best.

Given at my Palace in Wonderland, this 30th day of the eleventh month, being the first year of the reign of George the Third in Webfoot.

SANTA CLAUS.

L. S.

Per BENJAMIN FRANKLIN,
nov30d1m Keeper of the Great Seal.

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HAVE REMOVED FROM THE CORNER OF Sansome and Sacramento streets

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A FINE LOT OF A NO. 1 SWISS CHEESE, at

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JUST RECEIVED, EX STEAMER "ORIFLAMME,"

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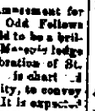

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The Daily Oregonian.

MONDAY MORNING, DEC. 30, 1867.

CITY.

Money Market.

Legal Tender rates.....74@75
New York Gold Quotations.....134

...MNOMAH County Teachers' Institute.—Mr. J. P. ...Secretary of the Teachers' Institute, furnishes ...the following summary of the proceedings of the late ...

The Multnomah County Teacher's Institute ... and in Portland Dec. 26th, and continued its session ...until the evening of the 27th. The subject of Reading ...was taken up first in order, and a discussion ensued in ...regard to the merits of the various text books. A vote ...being taken resulted in favor of Willson's Readers, which ...was recommended by the Institute to be used in connec...tion with the School Charts published by the same au...thor.

Mr. Watkins then introduced the subject of Orthogra... After quite an interesting discussion, Mr. Pershin ...offered the following: Whereas, The Orthography of the ...English language is very difficult to learn, and should be ...simplified, and as there is an effort made for that pur...pose, therefore,

Resolved, That this Institute give their united influ...ence to the enterprise. Adopted.

The subject of Penmanship was then taken up, and illustrated on the blackboard by Mr. Pratt. A ...discussion was taken by the Institute, recommending the use of ...the system of Penmanship, and none other, in its ...

... was the next subject, introduced by Prof. ... who explained the Institute idea a class, as ...the term, is to recite in the same manner that they ...recite their pupils to recite, provided they ...are to recite in grammar in their several ...schools. It was taken in the discussion of this subject. By a vote of the Institute, Pinney's Pri... Grammar was recommended for adoption in our ...

Mr. ... ...ke subject of Geography, illus... ...ted the method of teaching, and highly recommend... the use of regular the pupil to draw maps. It have ... ...t and the student both neat and accu... ...ting resolution was adopted:

Resolved, That the ... of drawing in teaching Ge... ...graphy, is recommended by this Institute.

The subject of Physiology was next ... by Mr. ... who ably advocated the introduction of this ...study into our common schools. It was moved that Cut... ...ter's Physiology be recommended for this use of our ... ...which ... prevailed.

The ... was introduced by Mr. Pratt, who ... in favor of this mode of teaching, by the use of ... Willson's Readers. The Institute seemed to be a... ...most in favor of this mode of teaching, for young pupils.

... Teaching a Profession, Mr. Kit... ...very appropriate remarks.

... ... by Prof. Prentice, who introduced the ... of Mr. ... and, after ... introduced the ... ...in Oregon. He pointed ...out the ... which has resulted to the public ... of Oregon from the establishment of such a ... ...as that State.

Mr. Perkins and the Rev. Mr. A... ...spoke highly in favor of the ... The latter stated that, were he about to teach in Oregon, he would first take a course ... ... School, in order that his sys... ...tem of ... might be in harmony with that of the other ... ...in the State.

... adopted the following resolution, which ... was ...:

Resolved, That the next session of the ... be held in ... ...commencing on the ... Tuesday in ... February, May, August and November.

On ... it was ordered that a copy of the ... of this ... be furnished to the ... ...for publication. There being no further business ... ... the Institute ... ...at the call of the ... ...

... July 1868.

... ONE ITEM.—A friend at Oregon City sends us ... ... Mrs. Walsh and ... ... were ... in the ... ... Yesterday last. In attempting to cross the stream in a wagon ... ... the ... ... and he was compelled to ... ... from the ... ...ing river ... ...ing the high ... ...Taking his daughter on behind him, he ... ... to return, but the horse ... ...and threw them both into the stream, from which ... ...to escape. The body of the old gent... ... ...recovered, but when ... ...

Song for the Children

Come stand by my knee little children
Too weary for labor or song
The sports of the daylight are over
And evening is creeping along
The snow fields are white in the moon light
The winds of the winter are chill
But under the sheltering roof tree
The fire shineth ruddy and still

You sit by the fire little children
Your cheeks are rosy and warm
But out in the cold of the winter
Is many a shivering form
There are mothers that wander for shelter
And babes that are pining for bread
Oh thank the dear Lord little children
From whose tender hand you are fed

Come look in my eyes little children
And tell me through all the long day
Have you thought of the Father above us,
Who guarded from evil your way?
He heareth the cry of the sparrow
And careth for great and for small
In life and in death little children
His love is the truest of all

Now go to your rest, little children,
And over your innocent sleep
Unseen by your vision, the angels
Their watch through the darkness shall keep.
Then pray that the Shepherd who guideth
The lambs that he loved so well
May lead you in life's rough morning,
Beside the still waters to dwell

[illegible] on the Subject of Reconstruction

A [illegible] the Views of Secretary Stanton

[illegible] Washington, on the subject of reconstruction

"I had several very conversations with Mr Lincoln upon the subject, and advised that any attempt to legislate the government should be [illegible] the rebel organization and government as utterly null and void. On the day preceding his death a cabinet session took place [illegible] Attorney General myself upon the subject, at the Executive office. An hour or two afterwards, and [illegible] the request of the aforesaid, Mr. [illegible] over to the War Department and [illegible] the Executive. After I had [illegible] my views, it appeared the rebel Congress were to assemble or the rebel authorities to have any participation whatever in the business of reorganization, he put down at my desk, took a piece of [illegible] and wrote a telegram to General Weitzel, and handed it to me. 'There,' said he, 'I think that will suit you?' I told him no; it did not go far enough; that the members of the [illegible] would probably come to Richmond [illegible] Weitzel ought to be directed to withdraw their [illegible]. He took up his pen [illegible] and added to his telegram [illegible] it. He [illegible] it to me. I said that [illegible] very right. It was transmitted [illegible] to General Weitzel, and was the last official [illegible] over pencil by Mr. Lincoln in the War Department. Some of the other [illegible] after the [illegible] of the armies of the [illegible] and [illegible] to instructions from the President, which was indicated by the [illegible] of the Executive to General Weitzel, the [illegible] of the Cabinet [illegible] the meeting of their [illegible]

[illegible] any of the Cabinet [illegible] of the Executive [illegible] of the United States [illegible] the [illegible] of the [illegible] to be [illegible] the [illegible] day of Mr. Lincoln's [illegible] to that time I had my [illegible] of the [illegible] of the [illegible] of the country, as [illegible] to be, and as I understood [illegible] which [illegible] of a form or [illegible] the [illegible] and laws of the [illegible] to that time I had my [illegible] of the [illegible] States under [illegible] against [illegible] or [illegible] that time, [illegible] I should have [illegible] to be the only [illegible] which I should be [illegible] in the several [illegible] to be the only [illegible] which [illegible] the [illegible] in the [illegible] to have [illegible] participation [illegible] in the [illegible] of reorganization, [illegible] that point [illegible] the [illegible] starting point [illegible] that [illegible] was only a [illegible] by the other [illegible] to have a copy [illegible] statement [illegible] in filing [illegible] Grant and Colfax, in a proclamation [illegible] that [illegible] was only [illegible] in the Cabinet.

Odd

One of the [illegible] peculiar of American vulgar [illegible] is the [illegible] of the words "lady" and "[illegible]." These substantive words have [illegible] such [illegible] derivative service that [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] alley, and no low [illegible] [illegible] The fine old Saxon [illegible] are [illegible] too plain and homely to [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] and [illegible] then [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] through all changes of society, and even men are beginning [illegible] [illegible] [illegible] who have [illegible] to hear how some [illegible] gave another "lady" a black eye for saying she was "no lady," because she [illegible] "lady" boy Pat down stairs [illegible] "Paddy, the [illegible] is lady." [illegible] "Oh, Sally, in our house of ease, [illegible] cozy and here to [illegible] "I dare do all that may [illegible] "I now no [illegible] my house, flesh of my flesh, [illegible] Lady's [illegible] name"

And so the vulgarism spreads it may at last force its way into the gravest prose, and we shall have the assistant clerk compelled to confess that he "was a little lady to be his wife died lady," while in the [illegible] we shall be reminded of the "gentle [illegible] that is born of lady." The next, true, refined [illegible] who preside at the [illegible] of our stores are beginning to fade away into "[illegible] ladies" do cap our linen for us, while [illegible] extinguish our confectionaries, and [illegible] build our houses and sell our [illegible]. There is a deadly affectation in all this, and [illegible] astonishing to [illegible] how widely [illegible] in the vulgarism. It is to be seen among the circles of fashionable life, where ignorantly deeply young women resent as a slight any reference to their honorable distinction of wife [illegible] and [illegible] an allusion to a male as [illegible] as a "man" as a shocking breach of [illegible]. When an individual becomes ashamed of being a "woman," and fancies that she achieves a [illegible] of elevation by hissing a lady [illegible] it may be accepted as proof positive that she is either very ignorant or very destitute of right womanly qualities and principles, and the same rule applies to the other sex

Weston's Costume

—The Norwich *Daily Advertiser* says the costume of Weston, pedestrian, of "he walked through Norwich, was a white hat, red [illegible], and cloth skirt with [illegible]. That is a little, but only a little, better than the Spaniard's idea of full dress, viz —a *pair of spurs and a standing collar*

A Three Hours' Combat with an Elephant

Mr Hyatt Frost of Van Amburgh's menagerie gave us yesterday, the particulars of a terrible fight with Tippo Sahib the well known elephant which occurred at Connersville, Indiana last Tuesday The menagerie has gone into winter quarters at that place and there as usual an addition is being made to the show season opens next year Tippo Sahib has the name to now be largest elephant in America He is thirty six years old and weighs ten thousand pounds

The battle with Tippoo resulted from a change in his keepers Frank Nash has keeper for ten years was recently supplanted by Chas Johnson formerly of Barnum's menagerie The elephant will not accept a new master without a battle, and Mr Johnson fully prepared himself for an exciting encounter The elephant was in particularly bad humor with all mankind He would allow nobody in his quarters striking at every one under the sill of the house, and while the elephant's attention was attracted to the other side of the room by a pail of water poured into his trough, the [illegible] was passed through the excavation and fastened to heavy stakes on each side All this time the infuriated monster struck all round him with terrific ferocity, and tugged at his chain with incredible momentum

The next thing accomplished was the snaring of his hind legs This was consummated by the slinging of fresh ropes around those two stately pillars of elephant flesh, bone and muscle, and finally by the parties by strategy of the keeper and another man, those ropes were fastened to stumps outside. The elephant was now sufficiently pinioned to allow the order, "charge pitchforks" to be given Ten men armed with these ugly implements of offence, plunged them into the rampaging beast, taking care, of course, to avoid penetrating his eyes or joints The tenderest spot in an elephant is just behind the fore legs, and that locality was prodded unmercifully By means of a hooked spear sunk in his back Tippoo was brought to his knees, but he surged up again with such awful strength that he swept his tormentors off their feet, and made his chains whistle like fiddle strings After an hour's fighting he was brought down on his side, but for two hours longer he tugged at his chains with frenzied obstinacy He pulled so hard at times that his hind legs were straight out behind him and three feet off the ground

At the end of three hours, the giant gave in by "trumpeting," which is the elephant way of crying "enough." The [illegible] this peculiar cry was heard the battle ended The keepers de Tippo get up and lie down a number of times, and he was as obedient to the word of command as a gentle pony. The animal was then groomed and rubbed off with whisky. He allowed all manner of [illegible] without so much as flapping an ear. He was a subjugated elephant.

At one stage of the fight, the dog "Jack," (a companion of the [illegible]), thought some of the dying baniyans foul play He flew upon John [illegible]'s back and tried to stick his fangs into his neck, but was pulled off and dragged out of the cage. "Jack" evidently sympathized with his big friend.—*Cincinnati Commercial*

What is the difference between a barber and a mother?

One has razors to shave, and the other has shavers to raise

[illegible] Lodge No. 15, I. O. O. F. [illegible] Regular Meeting [illegible] o'clock, in their building, third story of [illegible] Arrigoni's Hotel [illegible] of the order is invited to attend. By order of N. G.
Jan. 1, 1868. dtf

[illegible] Lodge No. 4, I. O. G. T.—Holds regular [illegible] in Good Templar Hall, corner [illegible] and First streets, on the First and Third Wednesdays in each month. All [illegible] in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

[illegible] Lodge No. 13, I. O. G. T.—Holds Regular Meetings [illegible] on Saturday evenings of each week. All [illegible] in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. C. T.

[illegible] Lodge No. 20, I. O. G. T.—Holds its regular meetings [illegible] on Thursday evening of each week at 7½ o'clock. All members of the Order in good standing are invited to attend. By order of the W. C. T.

Portland R. A. C. No. 3.—Regular Convocations on the 1st and 3d Mondays of each month at Masonic Hall, No. 18 North Front street. By order of M. E. H. P.

Willamette Lodge No. 3, F. & A. M.—Holds its Regular Communications on the 1st and 3d Mondays of each month at 7½ o'clock, P. M. [illegible] and other Masons in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. M.

[illegible] Lodge No. 19, F. & A. M. Stated Communications on the 2d and 4th Mondays of each month at 7½ o'clock, P. M. Brethren in good standing are invited to attend. By order of W. M.

Ophthalmic Pervoca!

IN BRINGING [illegible] before the [illegible] I deem it necessary to state a few facts in relation to [illegible] It is [illegible] is no discovery of recent date, but [illegible] and long known [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]